

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

1. (Amended) A self-sustaining film comprising a composition including an acrylic resin base containing a quaternary ammonium compound in an amount of about 1 to about 10 wt% based on the weight of the ~~composition~~ self-sustaining film to impart a static dissipative property and a conductive property to said film.

2. (Amended) The self-sustaining film of claim 1, wherein said acrylic resin is a methylmethacrylate containing polymer.

3. (Amended) The self-sustaining film of claim 1, further comprising a dispersion of zinc oxide particles.

4. (Amended) The self-sustaining film of claim 1, further comprising a polyethylene wax emulsion.

5. (Amended) A paper layer coated with a conductive polymeric composition ~~comprising~~ consisting of an acrylic resin base containing a quaternary ammonium compound in an amount of about 1 to about 10 wt% based on the weight of the composition and optionally at least one material selected from the group consisting of zinc oxide and polyethylene wax to impart a static dissipative property and a conductive property to said paper layer.

6. (Original) The paper layer of claim 5, wherein the said acrylic resin is a methymethacrylate containing polymer.

7. (Original) The paper layer of claim 5, further comprising a dispersion of zinc oxide particles.

8. (Original) A paper layer of claim 5, further comprising a polyethylene wax emulsion.

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Amended) A package comprising a layer of a conductive polymeric composition comprising a composition ~~including~~ consisting of an acrylic resin base containing a quaternary ammonium compound in an amount of about 1 to about 10 wt.% based on the weight of the composition and optionally at least one component selected from the group consisting of zinc oxide and polyethylene wax to impart a static dissipative property and a conductive property to said polymeric composition, in combination with at least one material selected from the group consisting of paper, fabric and non-woven material.

11. (Original) The package of claim 10, wherein said at least one material further comprises a metallized surface.

12. (Original) The package of claim 10, wherein the material is paper.

13. (Original) The package of claim 12, further comprising a dispersion of zinc oxide particles.

14. (Original) The package of claim 12, further comprising a polyethylene wax emulsion.

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